

**Nominations Withdrawn:** Senate received notification of withdrawal of the following nominations:

Howard A. Thrailkill, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for a term expiring May 18, 2007, which was sent to the Senate on November 17, 2005.

Susan Richardson Williams, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority for the term prescribed by law, which was sent to the Senate on November 17, 2005.

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**Record Votes:** Five record votes were taken today. (Total—366)

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**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9 a.m., and, in accordance with the provisions of H. Con. Res. 326, adjourned sine die at 12:13 a.m., on Thursday, December 22, 2005, until 12 noon, on Tuesday, January 3, 2006 for a pro forma session, and then adjourn automatically until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, January 18, 2006, unless the House of Representatives fails to adopt S. Con. Res. 74, Enrollment Correction Resolution, at which time the Senate will reconvene at 8 p.m. on Thursday, December 22, 2005.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. It will meet at 4 p.m. tomorrow, Thursday, December 22nd.

## Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

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## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D 1323)

H.R. 2520, to provide for the collection and maintenance of human cord blood stem cells for the treatment of patients and research, and to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the C.W. Bill Young Cell Transplantation Program. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–129)

S. 52, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey a parcel of real property to Beaver County, Utah. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–130)

S. 136, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide supplemental funding and other services that are necessary to assist certain local school districts in the State of California in providing educational services for students attending schools lo-

cated within Yosemite National Park, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to adjust the boundaries of the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, to adjust the boundaries of Redwood National Park. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–131)

S. 212, to amend the Valles Caldera Preservation Act to improve the preservation of the Valles Caldera. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–132)

S. 279, to amend the Act of June 7, 1924, to provide for the exercise of criminal jurisdiction. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–133)

S. 1886, to authorize the transfer of naval vessels to certain foreign recipients. Signed on December 20, 2005. (Public Law 109–134)

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2005

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

### House

No committee meetings are scheduled.